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– Jason and Madesha Stapleton –

Brethren,

We hope this finds each of you doing well. The work continues to thrive, congregations are maturing and people are being saved daily.

We do have a bit of bad news that we need to share with you. For the past several months Madesha has not felt well. Back in April of this year we decided to seek medical help in Dar es Salaam which is a ten or eleven hour drive from the mission. After visiting with the doctor and few blood tests it was determined that she has hyperthyroidism. As the months progressed so did the problem. Thus back in September we made another trip into Dar es Salaam for more tests. Upon the results of those tests we began to consult with doctors stateside. Based upon their consultations, we have made the decision to return back to the States. We feel that it is just too risky for us to be so far away from any real medical help. We wish this was a decision that never had to be made but based upon the circumstances we feel that it could not be avoided. We understand that this condition may not be such a big deal in the States but living in a 3rd world country changes that prospective. We are scheduled to leave Tanzania the 16th of November. We would appreciate your prayers on behalf of Madesha and the whole family as we make this unexpected move.

We have appreciated you support and your prayers while we have served here in Chimala. We completely acknowledge that our work here would have been impossible without your help and your support and we are truly sorry that things have turned out the way they have. We ask that you would continue your support through February as we seek for a congregation to work with and medical treatment for Madesha. Of course as soon as we secure a position we will let you know. We do have a few interviews already lined up and hope to secure a position as soon a possible.

Please, if you have any question feel free to ask, our email address is jmstapleton4@gmail.com we would like to answer any questions you might have. If you would like to speak with us by phone we can be reached stateside through my father Robert Stapleton, his cell number is

(817-937-3981). Our stateside physical address is 2801 Avonhill Dr.
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Again, we thank you!

In Christian love,

Jason, Madesha, Levan and Layla Stapleton